

December 12, 1997

TO: The Senators of the Metis Nation of Saskatchewan

Dear Sir/Madam:

**Re: Senate Report to the MNLA Presented on November 14-16, 1997**

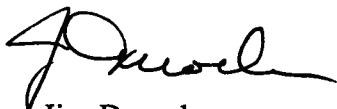
Further to the above, find following our brief response to the report entitled MNS Senate Report to the Metis Nation Legislative Assembly, November 14 - 16, 1997 presented by Senator Nora Ritchie.

We would like to take this opportunity to state that we are providing the enclosed paper in response. We are not raising new issues, rather we are speaking to the allegations leveled against the PMC in the Senate Report. We have always stated that we believe the Senate is an important advisory, non-political body that should be within the Metis Nation of Saskatchewan.

We would ask that if the Senate believes their role should be political, this issue be raised to the people of the Metis Nation.

Yours truly

METIS NATION OF SASKATCHEWAN



Jim Durocher  
President on behalf of the PMC